

State of Iowa Electrical Examining Board Meeting Minutes
June 16, 2022
Unapproved

Board Members Present

Marg Stoldorf, Chair
Dan Wood
Colby Black
Luiza Fritz
Luke Maloney

Board Members Present by Cell Phone*

Tim Gerald
John Claeys

Board Members Not Present

Amanda Cooling
Jonathan Gettler
Jeremy Price

Staff Members Present

Brian Young, Executive Secretary
David Ranscht, Assistant Attorney General, Iowa Attorney General's Office
Cindi Hayes, Secretary 2

NOTE: Due to technical issues with the network conference call system, the Board meeting was slightly delayed in starting. The network issue would not allow outside persons (Board members or general public) to call in to virtually join the meeting; however, two board members were able to attend via cell phone connection. When asked about whether the meeting could proceed, AAG David Ranscht stated that the Board attempted several times to connect with the system; he also stated that the meeting could be attended in-person, therefore, the meeting could still be held even though the phone system was not working. Additionally, AAG Ranscht said because a quorum is present, the meeting can continue per the agenda.*

Chair Stoldorf called the meeting to order at 10:15 a.m., and asked for an introduction of Board members attending in person and by cell phone.

CP Stoldorf moved to the first item on the agenda, which was "Approval of the meeting minutes from April 21, 2022". Maloney made a **motion to accept the open minutes as written**. Fritz **seconded** the motion. 7 Aye, 0 Nay. All in favor; motion carried unanimously. Maloney made a **motion to accept the closed session minutes as written**. Black **seconded** the motion. 7 Aye, 0 Nay. All in favor; motion carried unanimously.

The next item on the agenda was "Election of Chair and Vice Chair Persons". Gerald nominated CP Stoldorf to retain her position. CP Stoldorf nominated Gerald for Vice Chairperson. Gerald made a **motion to cease nominations**. Maloney **seconded** the motion. 6 Aye, 0 Nay, 1 Abstain (CP Stoldorf). Motion carried. CP Stoldorf made a **motion to ratify the nominations**. Black **seconded** the motion. 7 Aye, 0 Nay. All in favor; motion carried unanimously.

CP Stoldorf turned the meeting over to ES Young. The next item on the agenda was the report of the Executive Secretary. ES Young reviewed the financial report, which was previously provided to the Board for their review, and directed the Board's attention to revenue and expense items.

The next item on ES Young's report was "Civil penalty letters for electricians working without licenses". Those individuals receiving civil penalty letters were: *Jordan Voves, Mitchell Montgomery, Reid Herrig, Cody Springer, Jack Etherington, Brian Weirather, Maverick Adams, John Reuter, Austin Lemper, Daniel Woodford, Nicholas Bradshaw, Austin Bates, Ryan Kramer, Kyle Harken, Michael Eddy, Alec Shader, Ryan Gaber, Zachary Sims, Breck Pederson, Tommy Garnica, Connor Cermak, Johnathon Bever, Zachary Mangskau, John Chugg, Colin Short, Wyatt Johnson, Taylor Meints, Nicholas Schultz, Logan Carter and Alex Callahan*. Fritz made a **motion to approve the letters**, and Black **seconded** the motion. 7 Aye, 0 Nay. All in favor; motion carried unanimously.

The next item on the agenda was "Review Electrical Contractor Application for CornerHart Enterprises". ES Young stated that he was looking for staff guidance regarding the electrical contractor license application submitted by Jonathan Hart for CornerHart Enterprises. After discussion, AAG Ranscht explained that a license can be denied by the Board if the requirement for a responsible master to be held by or employed by the contractor is not met. Gerald made a **motion to deny the contractor license due to not meeting the requirements of holding a valid master electrician license or employing an Iowa licensed master electrician**. Maloney **seconded** the motion. 7 Aye, 0 Nay. All in favor; motion carried unanimously.

ES Young turned the meeting over to AAG Ranscht for the next item on the agenda, "Update on City of Bettendorf electrical inspections". AAG Ranscht stated that AAG Lundquist had not received any further information at this time.

The next item on the agenda was "Public Comment". Due to the technical network issue, there was no public in attendance by phone, and no one in person.

The next item on the agenda was "Other Board Business". The next Board meeting will be August 18, 2022. Maloney asked if the next meeting would include public hearings, to which ES Young stated there may be and he will be in touch with members regarding this after consulting with AAG Lundquist. ES Young stated that Board member, Sara Fasching, has left employment with Alliant Energy and she has asked the Governor's office for a replacement to be made.

CP Stoldorf called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Black made a **motion to adjourn**. Maloney **seconded** the motion. 7 Aye, 0 Nay. All in favor; motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 10:31 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Cindi Hayes, Secretary 2